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QUERY ABOUT LEBEDEV AND ASEEV, MEMBERS OF THE STAFF OF SVAT (1943)

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To the DIRECTOR.

I have received word that LEBEDEV<sup>[1]</sup> is leaving to take over the post of First Secretary on the staff of the SVAT<sup>[1]</sup> Please advise his speciality and in what post in the future I am to use Major T.K. ASKEV[111]. At present he is occupying the post of First Secretary.

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Comments: [i] LEBEDEV: Major Boris Ivanovich LEBEDEV assumed the duties of

secretary to the Soviet Military Attache in

Washington on 14th June 1943.

[11] SVAT: An abbreviation for SJVETSKIJ VOENNYJ ATTASHE,

Soviet Military Attache.

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Comments

[Cont'd]: [iii] ASLEV: Major Pavel Nikolaevich ASEEV, in the United States from November 1941 to September 1944, was employed in Washington first as secretary to the Soviet Military Attaché and later as Assistant Military Attache.

[iv] ROUEN: Probably Col. Il'ya Mikhajlovich SARAEV, Assistant

Soviet Military Attaché in Washington.

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